

Fire Services in Lake County Survey

Fire Department: City of Clermont

Demographics

What is your jurisdiction's population?	24,632
What source did you use to determine the population?	City of Clermont Planning Department
What is your coverage area in square miles?	14.7419
How many stations does your jurisdiction have?	3
What is your ISO rating?	3
Comments:	

Personnel

What is the total number of personnel in your department? <i>(Including administrative, fire prevention personnel, etc.)</i>		51 full-time, 6 Reserve, 6 Volunteer Support
How many hours per year do your shift personnel work?		2,604 (24/48 with Kelley Day every 28-day cycle)
What is your minimum staffing for shift personnel per shift?		Approved for staffing of 12 on-duty per shift
How many of your personnel are paid paramedics?		21
Breakdown of total personnel by rank. Describe what each rank does.		
Rank	Total Number	Brief Description
Firefighter	30	General firefighter and EMS duties
Lieutenant	9	Company Officer in station and on apparatus
Battalion Captain	3	Shift Commander; in charge of 24-hour shift
EMS Captain	1	Organizes and oversees all aspects of EMS delivery, quality control, training
Fire Marshal	1	Organizes and oversees Fire Prevention Bureau responsible for fire inspections, construction plans review, fire investigations, Explorer Post lead Advisor
Fire Inspector	1	Conducts fire inspections, fire investigations, responds to emergency scenes as Firefighter
Fire Insp./Plans Review	1	Conducts construction plans review, new construction site inspections, fire inspections, fire investigations, responds to emergency scenes in support role
Asst. Fire Chief/Ops	1	Day-to-Day operations of fire department, special operations commander (FLUSAT TRT Leader, Dive Team Leader, Haz-Mat Team Leader), purchasing, budget, grants, incident command, scheduling
Asst. Fire Chief/Admin.	1	Administrative functions, purchasing, budget, grants, personnel, fleet maintenance, facilities maintenance, special jobs coordinator
Fire Chief	1	Department Director
Administrative Assistant	1	Administrative Asst. to Fire Chief, scheduling, payroll, department forms, Public Information Officer for department
Staff Assistant	1	Receptionist, clerk, records, processes invoices, filing
Reserve Firefighter	6	General firefighter and EMS duties
Support Volunteer	6	Various functions in support role of departmental operations, including community emergency preparedness education, logistics and supplies, public education, PIO functions, staff city EOC when operational, and other support

Call for Service Data - Please provide the following information for the calendar year 2010

Total Number of Medical Calls	2,889	
Total Number of Non-Medical Calls	1,001	
Average Response Time	5 min 2 sec	
List the services your department offers: <i>Examples include- ALS services, trench rescue, dive team, hazmat, high angle, vehicle extrication, etc.</i>	Fire suppression, ALS EMS, rescue, Florida Urban Search and Rescue Technical Rescue Team, rope rescue (high angle and low angle), confined space rescue, trench and excavation rescue, vehicle and machinery rescue, structural collapse rescue, vehicle extrication, hazardous materials team response, dive team underwater search and recovery, fire prevention, fire inspections, construction plans review, fire investigations, public fire education, special event stand-by for medical and fire, smoke detector program, child safety seat inspections and installation, blood pressure checks, blood sugar checks, Explorer Post	
List the major risks in your jurisdictions. <i>If an event occurred, it would considerably tax your resources, or would be considered a major hazard</i>		
Special Events	Medical Facilities	Government/Industrial
Pig-On-The-Pond Bar-B-Q Competition and Festival	South Lake Hospital	City of Clermont Municipal Offices
Monthly Triathlon events April - September	NTC Sports Medicine Institute	Clermont Utilities – water and wastewater
Annual Great Clermont Half Ironman Triathlon	South Lake Women's Center	Florida Power Corporation
Annual Great Floridian Ironman Triathlon	Westminster Care Nursing	US Postal Service Distribution Center
Light Up Clermont	Emeritus at Oak Park Nursing	Builders supply and truss plants
Downtown Farmer's Market	Superior Residences Nursing	
Clermont Downtown Celebration	Hospice of Lake and Sumter	
Real Life Church Fall Festival	Cancer Center of Florida	
	NTC Surgery Center	
	Multiple outpatient surgery and treatment centers	

Operations

List total number of Apparatus and Vehicles (Staffed, not staffed, or reserve?)		
Type of Apparatus/Vehicle	Total Number	Staffed, Not Staffed or Reserve
Engine	4	2 Staffed, 2 not staffed/reserve
Ladder, 75'	1	Staffed
Tower-Ladder, 102'	1	Staffed
Heavy Rescue, Special Operations	1	Staffed
Quick Attack/Brush	1	Not staffed; responds with 3 rd FF off of Ladder when needed
ATV (John Deer Gator)	1	Not staffed; staffed for special events and special operations responses
Boat, Zodiac	1	Not staffed; staffed with personnel from other units for water-related incidents
Shift Commander	1	Staffed by Battalion Captain
Staff vehicles	7	Chief Officers (3), EMS Captain, Fire Marshal, Fire Inspectors (2)
Comments: Heavy Rescue and Tower-Ladder are dual staffed with the same personnel; type of call depends on which vehicle the personnel respond on. Quick attack vehicle is staffed by personnel from Ladder or engine when needed to respond		
List Interagency Agreements		
Type of Agreement	With which Agency	
Mutual Aid	City of Groveland Fire Department	
Mutual Aid	City of Mascotte Fire Department	
Mutual Aid	City of Minneola Fire Department	
Mutual Aid	Town of Montverde Fire Department	
Mutual Aid	Lake County Fire-Rescue	
Mutual Aid	Lake-Sumter EMS	
Automatic Aid	City of Minneola Fire Department (fire, EMS, Special Operations)	
Automatic Aid	Town of Montverde Fire Department (fire, Special Operations)	
Joint Response for Incidents on specified roadways	Lake County Fire-Rescue	
Memorandum of Understanding for ALS EMS	Lake-Sumter EMS	
Comments:		

Budget - Please provide the following information for the Budget Year 2010/2011

What is the total Fire/Rescue Budget?	\$4,755,015
What percentage of the total jurisdiction general fund budget is Fire/Rescue?	27.77%
What is budgeted for training? <i>Include fire training courses, college classes, EMS contracted courses, etc.</i>	\$24,810
What are the average total hours of training per person per year? <i>Include in-house training hours as well.</i>	244.51 hours avg. per person per year (Training hours of all full-time certified FF/personnel)
How is your budget funded? <i>Tax ad valorem, Fire Assessment, LSEMS etc.</i>	Ad Valorem
What avenues do you use when purchasing equipment, uniforms, apparatus or any other major purchases? Answer: State contract purchasing, Piggy-Back Large Dept Bids, Use City Purchasing agent to research best price options, Web searches, RFP's, quotes from multiple vendors to determine best value	
In the next five years, how many stations, additional personnel and apparatus is being planned? None at this time	

Comment on how the fire service in Lake County can be more cost effective and provide quality service.

Contract with municipalities and special districts to provide service to areas adjacent to their jurisdictions.